

### THE STRAIGHT SHOOTER SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER 2015

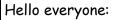


#### P.O. Box 4966 Foster City, CA 94404

#### E-Mail: <u>quicksteppers@yahoo.com</u> Website: <u>countryquicksteppers.org</u>

A note from Anni:

Anni Wunderlich, President.



I never thought I'd say this, but these sunny days are getting a bit

boring, I've almost forgotten what it's like to have rain; of course, if and when El Nino hits, I'll be complaining that the rain's getting on my nerves, where's the sun?

We continue to have your support at our dances with high energy on the dance floor. July 18, DJ and Teacher Appreciation with DJ's Mike and Joyce, August 1, "Hawaiian Luau" with The DJ Duke, Gary Clayton, August 15, "Hot August Nights" with DJ's Van and Celia, and August 29, "International Night" with DJ Millie Dusha.

Coming up: September 5, "Cowgirls Rule" at The Complex, with DJ's Mike and Joyce; September 19, "Birthday Bash" at Barrett Community Center, with the DJ Duke, Gary Clayton; October 3, "Play Ball" at The Complex with DJ's Van and Celia; October 17, "Italian/American Night" at Barrett Community Center with DJ's Jeanette and Bernie; October 31, "Halloween" with DJ's Mike and Joyce.

Yes, it's official, this year's "Glitz at the Ritz" will be at our new location, the beautiful Masonic Lodge in Burlingame. There are marble stairs leading up to the Ballroom (an elevator is also available), high ceilings with chandeliers, newly refinished wood floor, and the most gorgeous women's restroom (I haven't seen the men's). Quicksteppers will be

#### INSIDE THIS ISSUE

Pg 2 Line Dance Lessons Pg 3 Club News & Places to Dance Pages 4 & 5 Articles & Pictures Pages 6, 7, 8, & 9 Dance Schedules and flyers serving delicious fancy hors d'oeuvres, dessert, sodas, water and sparkling Apple Cider at midnight, and don't forget, this is a BYO affair. There will be prizes, surprises and a floor show. This hall does not come cheap, so we are raising the price to \$30 members, \$35 non-members and \$30 non-dancers, but I can assure you, if it wasn't for our anonymous donor, you would be paying far more. I don't think you could go anywhere on NYE, and receive so much for such a small price. Registration form on page 8.

Once again DOUG and JACKIE Miranda are coming to the Bay Area for their "You Can Dance 4" Workshop on Saturday, January 16, 2016. Doug and Jackie are creators and hosts of the Vegas Dance Explosion, at the Westgate Resort and Casino, in Las Vegas, and also have the Grand Majestic Theater in Pigeon Forge, TN. Their flyer and reservation form is on page 9.

We love our new DJ's Van and Celia, so check out their bio on page 4.

Quicksteppers, the Club with a heart where our members and friends can dance for the health of it, and socialize for the fun of it.

Cheerio,

#### STRAIGHT SHOOTER SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER 2015 PAGE 2

#### Local Area Line Dance Classes

#### Michael Barr (530) 824-6888

E-Mail: webmaster@michaelandmichele.com Website: www.michaelandmichele.com

#### Wed Evenings San Mateo

For registration call (650) 522-7440 Beginner-7:30 The Next Step-8:30 2720 Alameda de las Pulgas



#### Evelyn Khinoo (650) 325-6913

E-Mail: ekhinoo@sbcglobal.net

#### Tuesdays 7 to 9 PM—Palo Alto

Intermediate/Advanced

Lucie Stern Center 1305 Middlefield

Wednesdays 10 to 11 AM—Menlo Park

Beginner

The Little House 800 Middle Ave

#### Mike & Joyce Shannon

E-Mail: info@dancinshamrocks.com Website: dancinshamrocks.com

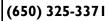


Mon Novice/Beginner 9-10 AM (Joyce) Advanced Beginner 10:15 -11:30 AM ((Joyce) Intermediate 12:30-2:30 PM Cypress Senior Center 403 South Cypress San Jose

Mon All levels 1:30 to 3:30 PM (Mike) Southside Senior Center 5585 Cottle Rd San Jose

Wed 10:10 to 11:40 AM Beginner 2+ 11:40 to 1:10 Beginner 2 Cupertino Senior Center (Mike) Wed 2-4 PM (Mike & Joyce) St. Thomas of Canterbury Church 1522 McCoy Ave San Jose Fri 12 to 1:30 PM -Beginner 1:30 to 3:30 PM -Intermediate Cupertino Senior Center (Mike) 21251 Stevens Creek Blvd Cupertino

#### Hedy McAdams



Website: danceadventures.com

#### Thursdays 10:00AM to 12:35 PM

Beginning classic line dances: 10"00 to 10:45 AM

Intermediate classic line dances: 10:55 to 11:45 AM

Advanced classic line dances: 11:50 AM to 12:35 PM

Lucie Stern Community Ctr. 1305 Middlefield Rd Palo Alto

View this Newsletter "in color" and find links to more Line Dance news On our website; www.countryquicksteppers.org

#### Jeanette Feinberg (650) 755-8049 E-Mail: jmf720@aol.com

Monday Evening 7 to 8:15 PM Intermediate

Larcombe Hall, 101 Lake Merced Blvd. Daly City Tuesday Afternoon-1:30 to 2:45 PM Improver

Larcombe Hall 101 Lake Merced Blvd Daly City

Tuesday evening-7:30 to 8:45 PM Beginner

College of San Mateo Sept 16 thru Nov 18

Wednesday Morning – 9 to 10 AM Intermediate San Bruno Senior Center- 1555 Crystal Springs Rd Wednesday Afternoon - : 15-3 PM easy Intermediate Larcome Hall, 101 Lake Merced Blvd. Daly

#### Diana Ward (650)359-2599

E-Mail: didi8854@aol.com

Thursdays 9:00-Daly City Intermediate-151 Lake Merced Dr Thursdays 3 pm-Pacifica Comm Ctr 540 Crespi Dr at Hwy I-Pacifica Thursday Evenings-Brisbane 7.30 High Intermediate/Adv Friday 8:30 am-Daly City Intermediate 101 Lake Merced Dr



Cathy Dacumos (650) 574-7948 E-Mail: CCH3@ATT.NET

Monday morning: High beginner -9:00 to 10:15 AM Easy Intermediate -10:15 to 11:30 AM

Veterans Memorial Senior Center 1455 Madison Ave Redwood City

Thursday afternoon: (On hiatus for the summer) Basic Beginner -1:30 to 2:45 PM Intermediate -2:45 to 4:00 PM San Carlos Adult Community Center 601 Chestnut St San Carlos

Thursday evening: Basic beginner 7 to 8 PM-Easy Intermediate 8 to 9 PM Community Activities Bldg 1400 Roosevelt Ave Redwood City

#### Doris Volz & Carol Clark

Email: carolclark 2239@gmail.com

dorisvolz@yahoo.com or Facebook.com/dorisvolz

Intermediate Plus with Doris & Carol

Westhope Church Hall 12850 Saratoga Ave Saratoga

Monday 9;30 to 11:30 AM Thursday 9:30 to 11:30 AM

Second Saturday dances (\$7) at 7 PM Playlist @ www.linedancefun.com

#### Van & Celia Liang: Dance\_On\_With\_Celia@hotmail.com

Monday: Ist Monday of the month,-couples dance lessons 7 to 8:55 PM

Sunnyvale Moose Lodge-905 Kifer Rd Sunnyvale Wednesday: Every Wednesday dance lesson at 7 PM followed by open dancing until 9 PM

Santa Clara Elks Lodge- 1680 Martin Ave Santa Clara Thursday: Every Thursday, line dance lessons 7 to 8:55 PM

Sunnyvale Moose Lodge-905 Kifer Rd Sunnyvale

Friday: Every 1st, 3rd, & 5th Fridays-Lesson at 7 PM followed by open dancing til 10:15 PM Sunnyvale Moose Lodge-905 Kifer Rd Sunnyvale











#### **STRAIGHT SHOOTER**

#### SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER 2 015 PAGE 3

#### CQS Board 2015-2016

President:	Anni Wunderlich		
Vice Pres:	Jim Rose		
Secretary:	Marlene Knecht		
Treasurer:	Jeanette Feinberg		
Membership:	Betty Ma		
Marshall:	Claudio Dacumos		
Marshall:	Ray Flanagan		
Web Coordinator:			
Shirley Sellers			
Shooter Editor:	Cathy Dacumos		

#### 50/50 Winners:



July 18: Mike Benes, Marlene Knecht, Linda Hernandez, Evelyn Khinoo Aug I: Marcie Walter, Madeline Cutino, Victoria Garcia Aug 15: Victoria Garcia,

Jan Hanway, Kathy Flanagan

Tracy Country Swingers: Dances at San Joaquin River Club 30,000 Kasson Rd Tracy For dates and times contact: Phone: 209-608-0632 Email: rosofam@pacbell.net

#### **Monthly Financial Summary**

	<u>Income</u>	Expense
	<u>June 2015</u>	<u>.</u>
Admission	1064.00	
50/50	181.00	
Membership	794.00	
DJ		580.00
Refreshments		18.13
Gifts		115.47
Flyers		78.27
Insurance		150.00
Monthly Totals	\$2039.00	\$941.87
Cash \$120.00 Checking \$8849.15 CD Balance: \$8465.22		

#### July 2015

Admission	480.00	
50/50	68.00	
Membership	468.00	
DJs		310.00
Postage		58.80
Shooter		87.11
Supplies		93.34
Refreshments		12.68
Gifts		66.60
Month Totals	\$1016.00	\$628.53
Cash \$120.00 Checking \$9236.63		
CD Balance \$8465.50		

<u>September</u>	<b>Birthdays</b>
Lee Springer	Sept 3
Jennifer Wong	Sept 3
Elaine Padian	Sept 4
Sonny Sollecito	Sept 7
Lia Dresner	Sept 8
Michael Kennedy	Sept 8
Patricia O'Kane	Sept 8
Kathy Whitman	Sept 11
Randy Smith	Sept 13
Betty Ma	Sept 18
Gene Serrano	Sept 18
Joyce Peloian	Sept 25
Bernie Feinberg	Sept 27
Leslie Eng	Sept 29
Todd Schlesinger	Sept 29



October	<b>Birthdays</b>
Lorraine Kurtela	Oct 3
Helene Swanson	Oct 7
Fran Varady	Oct 8
Allen Abraham	Oct II
Dorothy Lee	Oct 12
Connie Wong	Oct 17
Vickie Newman	Oct 19
Jocelyn Liu	Oct 20
Steve Oglethorpe	Oct 21
Mike Hanson	Oct 26
Mosing Hemma	Oct 27
Ray Flanagan	Oct 29

Jamie Hogan (650) 207-1902 Website silvercreekdjanddance.com Email: silver\_creek@prodigy.net Dances held on second 8-11 PM Friday each month at Every 4th Friday Highlands Community Club 1665 Fernside redwood City **Country Hustlers** 2nd & 4th Saturdays 7:30-10:30pm See website for locations

COUNTRY HUSTLERS

#### **Boots 'n'Buckles**

#### Dances every





at Swiss Park, all other Fridays at **Centerville Community** Center 3355 Country Dr Fremont

bootsnbucklesdanceclub.com

First Sunday Dance DJs-Tina Beare & Jeanette Feinberg San Bruno Senior Center 1555 Crystal Springs San Bruno 1:00 to 4:00 pm skybearmom@att.net or jmf720@aol.com



#### Visit Our Club Website

See the Newsletter in Color



**DJ** Playlists Club Info

And more:

Classes

Videos

Photos

Newsletters

Club Calendar

Links

www.countryquicksteppers.org

#### THE STRAIGHT SHOOTER SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER 2015 PAGE 4

#### Meet our newest DJs-Van & Celia Liang:

Celia was born and raised on a large farm in the Philippines, and came to the U.S. in 1979. Van was born in Hong Kong and came here when he was 4 years old. He grew up in Stockton, California and attended college in Phoenix, Arizona. Van and Celia met on a blind date in 1992, and have been dancing together ever since. They were married in 1993 and have one son. Van works as an Aerospace Test Engineer at

Lockheed Martin, and Celia is a Lead Electronics Engineering Technician for Linear Technology Corp. Van started line dancing in 1990 at an adult education class, and shortly after that joined Boots'n'Buckles, where he learned from Neil Hale and Charlotte Skeeters. Van and Celia dance all around the Bay Area. They host weekly lessons and open dance nights, where they teach and DJ, at the Santa Clara Elks Lodge and the Sunnyvale Moose Lodge. They also teach and DJ at private events, and they dance and take classes wherever they can when they travel. They say that dancing has brought so many wonderful people into their lives. They hope to share their love for people and gratefulness to the Lord for all His blessings in their lives through dancing as well as other avenues. Van and Celia enjoy being with family and friends, eating, traveling, and movies. Celia also loves to decorate their home, cook, garden, and sew. Van likes to swim laps and watch the warriors, Giants, and the 49ers. Let's give them a big

welcome into our line dance family at Country Quicksteppers.









AUGUST 1st Hawaiian Luau









#### THE STRAIGHT SHOOTE SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER 2015 PAGE 5

You don't stop dancing because you grow old...... You grow old because you stopped dancing!









AUGUST 15th Hot August Nights













To see all of these pictures, and more, in <u>color</u> visit our Web Site! Countryquicksteppers.org







#### Email: Quicksteppers@Yahoo.com Website: countryquicksteppers.org

# SEPT 5 — Cowgirls Rule DJs—Mike & Joyce The Complex



# SEPT 19—Birthday Bash

### DJ—Gary Clayton Barrett Community Center

All Quicksteppers members get in for half price!



Hors d'oeuvres, soft drinks, and cake will be provided!

#### DANCE TIMES 7:15 TO 10:15 PM

MEMBERS \$10.00

NON-MEMBERS \$12.00

Directions to The Complex: 550 Island Parkway Belmont

**From Hwy 101 Southbound:** Take Ralston Ave exit and go east. After crossing the overpass, turn left at the first signal. This is Island Pkwy. The Complex is on the left after the Mercedes dealership.

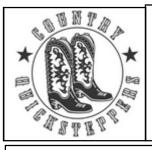
**From Hwy 101 Northbound:** Take the Ralston Ave exit. Stay in the middle lane. After crossing Ralston you will be on Island Pkwy. The Complex is on the left after the Mercedes dealership.

#### Directions to Barrett Community Center: 1835 Belburn Dr. Belmont

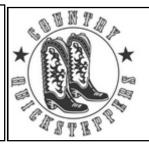
From Hwy 101: Take Ralston Ave exit. Go west and cross El Camino Real. Continue for 1 1/2 miles

and turn right on Avon, then left on Belburn.

From Hwy 280: Take Ralston Ave exit. Go east and cross Alameda De Las Pulgas. Turn left on Avon, then left on Belburn.



### **COUNTRY QUICKSTEPPERS OCTOBER 2015**



Email: Quicksteppers@Yahoo.Com Website: countryquicksteppers.org

### **Oct 3— Play Ball!** DJs—Van & Celia **The Complex**



## **Oct 17**—Italian-American Night DJs—Jeanette & Bernie

**Barrett Community Center** 



### Oct 31—Halloween DJs—Mike & Joyce **Barrett Community Center**

#### **DANCE TIMES 7:15TO 10:15**

**MEMBERS \$10.00** 

NON-MEMBERS \$12.00

Directions to Barrett Community Center: 1835 Belburn Dr. Belmont

From Hwy 101: Take Ralston Ave exit. Go west and cross El Camino Real. Continue for 1 1/2 miles and turn right on Avon, then left on Belbum

From Hwy 280: Take Ralston Ave exit. Go east and cross Alameda De Las Pulgas. Turn left on Avon, then left on Belburn.

Directions to The Complex: 550 Island Parkway Belmont:

From Hwy 101 Southbound: Take Ralston Ave exit and go east. After crossing the overpass, turn left at the first signal. This is Island Parkway.

The Complex is on the left after the Mercedes dealership.

From Hwy 101 Northbound: Take Balston Ave exit. Stay in the middle lane. Cross Balston and you will be on Island Parkway.



Phone number:

Number of reservations:

\_\_\_\_Members @ \$30 each \_\_\_\_Non-members @ \$35 each \_\_\_\_Non-dancers @ \$30 each

Fill out this form and send it with your non-refundable check , payable to Country Quicksteppers, to:

Country Quicksteppers, P.O. Box 4966, Foster City, CA 94404



Calling on all levels of dancers! COUNTRY QUICKSTEPPERS Invites you to join us for a special Bay Area treat: DOUG & JACKIE

# MIRANDA'S

"You Can Dance 4"



One day workshop **SATURDAY, JANUARY 16, 2016** At The Complex in Belmont Doors open at 11:00 AM Workshop 12 to 5 :00 PM Evening dance 7:00 to 10:00 PM Beginner and High Beginner dances taught 12 to 1:30 PM Improver and Intermediate dances taught 1:30 to 5 PM Lots of open dancing 11:30 to 12 and all day between teaches! Cost for workshop & evening dance is \$40 per person Regular admission prices apply for evening dance only Free snacks & bottled water all day! Deadline for registration is January 8, 2016!

Directions to The Complex, 550 Island Parkway, Belmont:

From Hwy 101 southbound: Take the Ralston Ave exit and go east. After crossing the overpass, turn left at the first signal. This is Island Pkwy.

The Complex is on the left just after the Mercedes dealership.

From Hwy 101 northbound: Take the Ralston Ave exit. Stay in the middle lane. Cross Ralston and you will be on Island Pkwy.

The Complex is on the left just after the Mercedes dealership.

DOUG & JACKIE MIRANDA WORKSHOP—REGISTRATION FORM (please print clearly)

NAME(S) \_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_Dance experience level: \_\_\_\_Beg \_\_\_\_High Beg \_\_\_\_Int \_\_\_\_Adv or instructor

\_\_ Beg \_\_\_High Beg \_\_\_Int\_\_\_Adv or Instructor

Phone Number \_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Email address \_\_\_\_\_

Fill out this form and mail it with your non-refundable check, payable to Country Quicksteppers to:

Country Quicksteppers, P.O. Box 4966., Foster City, CA 94404



Country Quicksteppers P. O. Box 4966 Foster City, CA. 94404

Countryquicksteppers.org